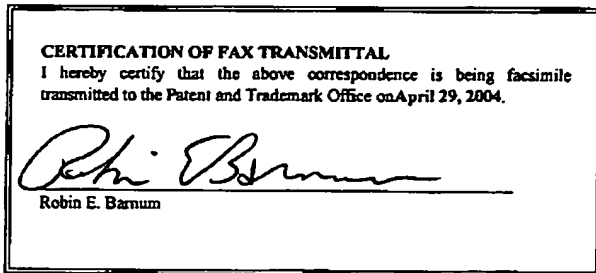


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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 30, 2004.

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